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**PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY BUREAU ANNOUNCES
REGION 19 (NEW ENGLAND) 700 MHZ PUBLIC SAFETY REGIONAL PLANNING
COMMITTEE 700 MHZ AND 4.9 GHZ PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING
MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2009**

The Region 19 (New England)¹ 700 MHz Public Safety Regional Planning Committee (RPC) will hold its next meetings as follows:

- Tuesday, March 10, 2009, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., at the Kennebunkport Fire Department, 32 North Main Street, Kennebunkport, Maine
- Tuesday, June 9, 2009, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., at the Rhode Island Emergency Operations Center, 645 New London Avenue, Cranston, Rhode Island
- Tuesday, September 8, 2009, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., at the Connecticut Fire Academy, 34 Perimeter Road, Windsor Locks, Connecticut
- Tuesday, December 8, 2009, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., at the New Hampshire Department of Public Safety, 33 Hazen Drive, Concord, New Hampshire

The purpose of the meetings will be to discuss the needs of the 700 MHz and 4.9 GHz spectrum users, including public safety, public health, emergency management, and public utility services.

The Region 19 700 MHz and 4.9 GHz RPC meetings are open to the public. It is essential that public safety agencies in all areas of government, including state, municipality, county, and Native American Tribal, and non-governmental organizations eligible under Section 90.523 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 90.523, be represented in order to ensure that each agency's future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not oriented in the communications field should delegate someone with this knowledge to attend, participate, and represent their agency's needs.

All interested parties wishing to participate in planning for the use of public safety spectrum in the 700 MHz and 4.9 GHz bands within Region 19 should plan to attend. For further information, visit the RPC website at www.ner700mhz.org, or contact:

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¹ The Region 19 regional planning area includes the following states: Connecticut (except Fairfield, Litchfield, New Haven and Middlesex counties), Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont.

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